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Curricula vitae of candidates nominated by States parties for election to the International Tribunal for the Law of the Sea

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I. Introduction

The Registrar hereby submits to the Meeting of States parties the curricula vitae of the candidates nominated by States parties for the election of members of the International Tribunal for the Law of the Sea, which will take place at the twenty-first Meeting of States parties. A list of the candidates nominated by States parties is contained in document SPLOS/219.

II. Curricula vitae of candidates

Attard, David Joseph (Malta)

General information

Date of birth: 29 March 1953

Marital status: Married, three children

Languages: Fluent: English, Italian and Maltese
Working knowledge: French and Spanish

Scholarships

1973 Council of Europe, Strasbourg, France

1976 American Legal Studies, Harvard Seminar, Salzburg, Austria

1977 British Council, Oxford, United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland

1978 Nuffield Foundation, Researchship, Oxford, United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland

1994 Italian Scientific Research Council, Rome

2000 Fulbright Scholarship, Washington, D.C.

Prizes and awards

1987 Paul Guggenheim Prize for Public International Law, Geneva

1998 Lega Navale "Dioscuri Prize", Catania, Italy

2004 Chevalier dans l'Ordre national de la Legion d'honneur, Paris

2007 Official, National Order of Merit, Malta

2009 Encomienda de Número de la Order de Isabel la Católica, Spain

2010 Order of Merit, Italian Republic

Professional qualifications

Advocate, Malta

Barrister-at-Law, Middle Temple, London

Academic qualifications and appointments

Academic qualifications

1977 Diploma Notary Public (University of Malta)

1978 Doctor of Law (University of Malta)

1986 Doctor of Philosophy (University of Oxford)

Academic appointments

1986 Associate Professor in the Department of Public Law, University of Malta

1988 Full and Founding Professor of Public International Law, University of Malta

1989 Visiting Professor, International Maritime Organization (IMO) International Maritime Law Institute, Malta

1990 United Nations Environment Programme (UNEP) Chair of Environmental Diplomacy, Mediterranean Academy of Diplomatic Studies, Malta

1992 Director, IMO International Maritime Law Institute, Malta

1994 Visiting Professor of International Law, University of Rome "Tor Vergata"

1995 Senior Visiting Lecturer, College of Foreign Affairs, Beijing

1998-99 Visiting Senior Research Fellow, University of Oxford

2000 Fulbright Scholar, Yale Law School

2001 Titulary Member, Comité maritime international

2002 Honorary Member, Comité maritime international, Slovenia

2004-present Member, Permanent Court of Arbitration, The Hague
Member, Specialized Panel of Arbitrators, Permanent Court of Arbitration

2007-08 Visiting Professor, University Pantheon Sorbonne (Paris I)

International law association (ILA)

1981 Member of the British Branch of ILA

1983 Representative of the British Branch of ILA on its Exclusive Economic Zone Committee

1990	Representative of the British Branch of the ILA on its Cultural Heritage Law Committee
1995	President and Founder Member of the Maltese Branch of the ILA
1999	Arbitration Law Committee, ILA

International appointments

1988	Member, United Nations Group of Experts on Petroleum Law, Paris
	Member, Committee of Experts on the International Convention for the Prevention of Pollution from Ships, Valletta
1989	Elected Co-Chairman (together with Ambassador Alan Beesley, Canada) of a Legal Experts Group to present a working document on legal and policy issues to the Ministerial Conference on the Changing Atmosphere, Netherlands
	Member, Board of Governors of the IMO International Maritime Law Institute, Malta
	Special Adviser to the IMO Secretary-General, London
	Special Senior Legal Adviser to the UNEP Executive Director, Nairobi/Geneva
	Member, UNEP/World Meteorological Organization (WMO) Working Group on the Drafting of an International Convention on Climate, Geneva
	Member, Council of Europe Group of Experts on Public International Law, Strasbourg
1990	Member, Board of Governors, Mediterranean Academy of Diplomatic Studies, Malta
	Member, World Academy of Art and Science (nominated by Professor M. Reisman of Yale Law School), Sweden
	Member, Board of Advisers, Climate Institute, Washington, D.C.
	Adviser to the President of the United Nations General Assembly, New York
1991	Chairman, United Nations Institute for Training and Research (UNITAR) Working Group on Environmental Diplomacy, Geneva
1993	Coordinator, European Union/MED CAMPUS course on Maritime Legal Problems in the Mediterranean, Rome
	Vice Chairman, Board of Governors, Mediterranean Academy of Diplomatic Studies, Malta
1997	Coordinator, with Professor Paul Kennedy (Yale Institute of Security Studies), of the symposium entitled "Law, strategy and policy in the Mediterranean: past, present and future", Yale University

2000	Member, Steering Committee for Human Rights, Strasbourg
2005	Member, European Union Expert Group on Maritime Policy, Brussels

National professional appointments

1986	Member, Malta Oceanographic Commission
	Consultant on International Maritime Legislation to the Parliamentary Secretary on Maritime Affairs
	Member of the National Committee on Offshore Business Legislation
	Member of and Legal Adviser to the Malta Oil Exploration Division, Office of the Prime Minister, Malta
1988	Legal Consultant to the Prime Minister, Malta
	Personal Adviser to the Minister of Foreign Affairs, Malta
1988-1993	Chairman, Oil Exploration Division, Office of the Prime Minister, Malta
1989-1990	Member, Malta Council for Science and Technology
1989-1993	Personal Adviser to the Minister of Foreign Affairs
1998-2000	Chairman, Malta Arbitration Centre
2006	Pro-Chancellor, University of Malta
	President, University of Malta Council
2011	Chancellor, University of Malta

Diplomatic appointments

1986	Member of and Consultant to the Maltese delegation to the General Assembly of the International Maritime Organization
1987	Head of the Maltese delegation to the Preparatory Commission for the International Sea-Bed Authority and for the Law of the Sea Tribunal, New York
	Special Envoy of the Minister of Foreign Affairs of Malta to the United Nations, New York
1988	Special Envoy of the Minister of Foreign Affairs of Malta to the Government of Saudi Arabia, Riyadh
	Special Envoy of the Minister of Foreign Affairs of Malta to the Government of the United Arab Emirates, Abu Dhabi
	Adviser to the Maltese Delegation to the forty-third Session of the United Nations General Assembly, New York

Representative of Malta in the Second Committee (Economic and Financial Committee) of the United Nations General Assembly, New York

Principal Delegate to the UNEP/WMO Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change, Geneva

1989 Personal Representative of the Prime Minister of Malta to the Meeting of Heads of State and Government on the Global Atmosphere, The Hague

Head of the Maltese delegation to the UNEP Governing Council, Nairobi

1990 Member of Maltese Delegation to the IMO International Conference on Oil Pollution Preparedness and Response, London

1991 Adviser to the Maltese delegation to the meeting of the Conference on Security and Cooperation in Europe on the settlement of peaceful disputes, Valletta

Head of the Maltese delegation to the United Nations Intergovernmental Negotiating Committee on the Framework Convention on Climate Change, Washington, D.C./Geneva/Nairobi

Academic experience

For over 20 years, Mr. Attard has been lecturing in public international law, constitutional law, comparative law, conflict of laws and maritime law. In his capacity as Head of Department of Public International Law at the University of Malta, he coordinated the teaching and research programmes at the postgraduate level, and the teaching of international law at the Mediterranean Academy of Diplomatic Studies.

For over 20 years, Mr. Attard has been teaching international law and international maritime law at the IMO International Maritime Law Institute, where he is currently the Director.

He has taught international law at the University of Rome "Tor Vergata" (postgraduate law students), the College of Foreign Affairs, Beijing (postgraduate diplomacy students), and the University of Oxford (bachelor of civil law and undergraduate law students).

1977 Lectured on "Mediterranean Regional Problems" at Colgate University, United States of America

1977 Lectured on "The law of the sea and the Mediterranean", University of Malta

1978 Lectured on "Legal aspects of Mediterranean regional institutions", University of Malta

1980 Lectured on various aspects of public international law, Colgate University and Syracuse University, United States

1981-2001

Appointed examiner for the doctorate thesis by the Faculty Board of Laws, University of Malta

1984 Lectured on the international arbitral process, Civil Law Department, University of Malta

1985 Visiting Lecturer in the Department of Public Law, University of Malta

1987-2002

Coordinator for Diplomatic Studies, University of Malta

1987 Lectured on "The law of the sea and the Mediterranean" at the International Ocean Institute, Malta

1988 Coordinator for International Relations, Mediterranean Relations Programme, University of Malta

1988-to date

Lecturer in international law and law of the sea, IMO International Maritime Law Institute, Malta

Academic representation

University of Malta

1972 Faculty Board of Laws (Student Representative)

1974 President, Students' Representative Council

1974 Senate (Student Representative)

1976 Finance Committee

1976 Council (Student Representative)

1987 Council (appointed by the Prime Minister of Malta)

Selection Board for posts in the Department of Social Studies

1989 Honoris Causa Committee

1991 Academic Promotions Board

2006 Pro-Chancellor and President of Council

Conference papers, participation and speaking engagements

1975 Presented a paper entitled "Some aspects of the New International Economic Order" at a United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization (UNESCO) meeting on the new international economic order, Oran, Algeria

1976	Presented a paper entitled "The European Economic Community and its relation to the Mediterranean" at a meeting organized by the Union of Spanish University Students, Madrid
	Presented a paper entitled "Mediterranean co-operation" at a joint meeting of the Club of Rome/Pacem in Maribus, Algiers
	Presented a paper entitled "The new law of the sea" at the Sonnenburg Conference, Malta
1978	Participated in a meeting of legal experts on deep sea mining held at the University of Malta
1980	Participated in the International Ocean Institute International Meeting on the Exclusive Economic Zone held at United Nations Headquarters, New York
	Participated as Legal Adviser for the Mediterranean in the International Federation of the Phonography Industry (IFPI) International Annual Conference, Copenhagen
	Participated in the Biannual Conference of ILA, Belgrade
1984	Participated in the Biannual Conference of ILA, Paris
	Presented a paper entitled "State practice on maritime jurisdiction" at a public meeting of the ILA Committee on the Exclusive Economic Zone, Paris
1985	Panel speaker in a forum on the 1985 judgment of the International Court of Justice on the continental shelf dispute between Malta and Libya, organized by the Ghaqda Studenti tal-Ligi at the University of Malta
1986	Presented a paper entitled "The legal regime relating to the exploration and exploitation of non-living resources" at the Conference on the Mediterranean in the new law of the sea, Malta
1987	Presented a paper on "The United Nations and youth" at a seminar organized by the Ministry of Education (Youth Section), Malta
	Presented a paper on "Maritime boundaries in the Mediterranean" during the summer session of the Euro-Arab University
	Attended meetings and sessions of the Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change, Geneva
1988	Participated in the International Meeting of Legal and Policy Experts on the Protection of the Environment, Ottawa
	Member of the drafting committee of the Hague Declaration on the Protection of the Atmosphere under the Chairmanship of Prime Ministers Rochard, Lubbers and Brundtland
	Attended the UNEP Conference on Climate Change, Cairo
	Delivered an oration on the occasion of the conferment of an honorary degree on Chandrika Prasad Srivastava, Secretary-General of IMO, University of Malta

	Delivered a statement on the need to conclude an international convention on climate to the Second Committee of the United Nations General Assembly
1989	Participated in the UNEP Group of Legal Experts to consider the common concern of mankind, Malta, Geneva
1990	Participated in a colloquium on neutrality and non-alignment in the post-cold war era, organized by the Mediterranean Academy of Diplomatic Studies, Malta
1991	Participated in a colloquium on the legal protection of the environment beyond the limits of national jurisdiction, organized by the Mediterranean Academy of Diplomatic Studies, Malta
	Participated in a workshop on the training needs of Palestinian diplomacy, organized by the Mediterranean Academy of Diplomatic Studies, Malta
	Delivered a paper to the forty-third World Medical Assembly on "Global climate change — greenhouse effect", Malta
1994	Speaker at the Conference on Protection of Intellectual Property Rights in the Gulf Region, Dubai, United Arab Emirates
	Delivered an oration on the occasion of the conferment of the honorary degree on M. Soares, President of Portugal, University of Malta
1995	Delivered a lecture on "the exclusive economic zone: current developments", to members of the diplomatic community, Ministry of Foreign Affairs lecture, Beijing
	Lectured on the 1982 United Nations Convention on the Law of the Sea at the China Oceanic Administration, Beijing
1997	Speaker at the Forum on the Mediterranean Maritime Heritage entitled "The International Regime for the Protection of Archaeological and Historical Objects found at Sea: A Mediterranean Perspective", Maritime Museum, Malta
	Speaker at the seminar organized by the Mediterranean Academy of Diplomatic Studies on environmental/economic diplomacy: some observations with special reference to the Mediterranean
1998	Speaker at a seminar organized by the European Law Students' Association (ELSA) on "The status and functions of the Malta Arbitration Centre under Act No. II of 1996"
1999	"Specificities of Mediterranean shipping", speech delivered at the International Transport Workers' Federation (ITF) Conference, Malta
2000	Opinion submitted to the United Nations Transitional Administration for East Timor (UNTAET) on several issues relating to the delimitation of maritime areas lying between East Timor and Australia

2001	Chaired an ELSA Panel on Human Rights and the Mediterranean Perspective, with speakers from the European Court of Human Rights
	"The delimitation of maritime zones: some Mediterranean experiences", lecture delivered at the Fifth International Conference on Traffic Science, Ljubljana, Slovenia
2003	Participated in the tenth Ambassadors' conference, organized by the Maltese Ministry of Foreign Affairs. Delivered a speech entitled "Malta's issues on delimitation"
2007	Lectured on "The exercise of high seas freedom of navigation outside the high seas" at the Italian Naval Academy, Livorno, Italy
2008	Lecture entitled "Towards an equitable international order: Borg Olivier's contribution", Auberge D'Aragon, Malta
2009	Lectured on "Selected problems of maritime jurisdiction in the Mediterranean" at the University of Catania and the University of Messina, Italy
	Lectured on "The exercise of maritime jurisdiction in semi-enclosed seas: the Mediterranean experience" at the International Foundation for the Law of the Sea, Hamburg, Germany
2010	Lectured on "Maritime jurisdiction in enclosed and semi-enclosed seas: the Mediterranean experience" at the International Tribunal for the Law of the Sea, Hamburg, Germany

Membership in professional societies

World Academy of Art and Science

American Society of International Law, Washington, D.C.

Oxford Law Society, Oxford, United Kingdom (Convenor, Malta Branch)

International Law Association

Middle Temple, London

Chamber of Advocates, Malta

Association of International Petroleum Negotiators, Houston, Texas, United States

Comité maritime international

Publications

The Exclusive Economic Zone in International Law (Oxford University Press/ Clarendon Press). This book was the first in a new series entitled "Oxford Monographs in International Law". In 1988 it won the Paul Guggenheim Prize (Geneva University) which is awarded every two years by a panel of publicists to "a work of international law which is distinguished by its exceptional quality and which is the first outstanding work of its author".

"Investment in Maltese human capital", *Cobweb Economic Journal* (1974)

"The right to strike: comparative study", *Cobweb Economic Journal* (1975)

"The new economic order: myth or reality", *Cobweb Economic Journal* (1976)

"Towards a Mediterranean consciousness", *Mediterranean Students' Meeting Proceedings*, International Ocean Institute (1976)

The New Law of the Sea and the Mediterranean (1976, 1977)

"Fluctibus haud aequis: a brief analysis of the current talks on the new law of the sea", *The Law Journal* (1976)

Malta's 1967 Initiative on the United Nations on sea-bed Problems (1976)

The Exclusive Economic Zone (University of Oxford, 1979)

"Malta's growing interest in the law of the sea", *Perspective* (1978)

"The current status of the exclusive economic zone in international law", *International Law Association Proceedings* (1984)

"The relationship between the exclusive economic zone and the continental shelf", *International Law Association Proceedings* (1984)

"European rights — at last", *Daily Telegraph* (London), 2 August 1985

"Delimitation by a single maritime boundary", *Id-Dritt* law journal, Vol. XIII (1985)

"The delimitation of the continental shelf and the exclusive economic zone in the Mediterranean Sea", *Il Regime Giuridico Internazionale del Mare Mediterraneo*, V. Leanza, ed. (1987)

"Some aspects of the legal regime relating to the allocation and utilization of mineral resources", *The Mediterranean in the New Law of the Sea* (1987)

"Exploitation of offshore mineral resources", *Cope News*, part I (March 1987), part II (April 1987)

"Joint developments of non-living marine resources", *ILA Proceedings* (1988)

Climate Change, Foundation of International Studies (1989)

"Possible elements for an international legal and institutional strategy on climate change and global warming", *Proceedings of the Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change* (February 1989)

"The 1985 continental shelf (Libyan Arab Jamahirija/Malta) judgment: a brief analysis", in *De Jure*, Vol. 1, No. 3 (January 1989)

"Protection of global climate: a review of developments", *Id-Dritt* law journal, Vol. XIV (1989)

"Global climate change — the Maltese initiative", *World Medical Journal* (1992)

"The arrest of ships: current legal developments", *Journal of the International Ship Suppliers Association* (December 1994)

Oration on "The universal constitution for the oceans" delivered at the unveiling of the Law of the Sea Monument, University of Malta (February 1995) (published in the Law Journal)

"Mare clausum v. mare liberum", *Proceedings of the ELSA Seminar on Maritime Law* (1996)

"The International Convention for the Unification of Certain Rules Relating to the Arrest of Sea-Going Ships: the process of revision", *The ELSA Law Review*, No. 1 (1996)

"The law of the sea and jurisdictional issues in the Mediterranean", co-author, in *Naval Strategy and Policy in the Mediterranean, Past, Present and Future*, John B. Hattendorf, ed., with a foreword by Paul Kennedy (1997)

"The relevance of the 'Consolato Di Mare' to the development of contemporary international maritime law", Historical Roots of Contemporary International and Regional Issues, Occasional Paper Series, No. 13, International Security Studies, Yale University (1997)

"The international regime for the protection of archaeological and historical objects found at sea", *Records of the Forum for the Debate on the Maritime Heritage of the Mediterranean* (1997)

"For an effective international law: from the Preparatory Committee to the Diplomatic Conference for the Establishment of an International Criminal Court — the commitment of the international community", *Mediterranean Journal of Human Rights* (1998)

"Opening session — address by Professor David Attard", *CMI Yearbook 2001*, Part II — the work of CMI, Thirty-seventh Conference of the Comité maritime international, Singapore (2001)

"The delimitation of maritime zones: some Mediterranean experiences", *Proceedings of the Fifth International Conference on Traffic Science*, University of Ljubljana (2001)

"A universal constitution for the oceans", *Id-Dritt* law journal, Vol. XVIII (2002)

"The first Maltese publicist", *Celebratio Amicitiae* (2006)

"Some early academic formative influences on the modern law of the sea: from Colombos to Sandiford", *Essays in Honour of Umberto Leanza* (2007)

"Towards an equitable international order: Borg Olivier's contribution", *Fondazzjoni Gorg Borg Olivier* (2008)

"Towards a safer international order: Fenech Adami's contribution", *Liber Amicorum* (2009)

"Legislative innovation or mare nostrum: the Mediterranean experience", *Mediterranean Academy of Diplomatic Studies' Twentieth Anniversary Publication* (2009)

Editorships

1976	Established and edited *The Journal of Educational Affairs*, University of Malta
1985	Appointed by the American Society of International Law as a Corresponding Editor of its publication *International Legal Materials*
1989	Member of the editorial board of the *Journal of International Boundary Studies*, University of Durham
1991-1998	Editor, *IMLI News*, official newsletter of the IMO International Maritime Law Institute
1997	Co-author of a book entitled *The United Nations New Horizons — Perspectives on Restructuring the United Nations*, University of Malta
1998-2001	Maritime law editor, *The Oxford Encyclopedia of Maritime History*, Oxford University Press

Reviewer

Book reviewer for the *British Yearbook of International Law* and the *American Journal of International Law*

Journalism

Frequent contributor to a number of Maltese and foreign newspapers including the *London Times* and *Daily Telegraph*

Assisted in the preparation

"The freedom of the high seas and the exclusive economic zone: the problems of interactions", *Report of the International Law Association Committee on the Exclusive Economic Zone* (1984)

D. P. O'Connell, *The International Law of the Sea* (two volumes) (Clarendon Press, 1983)

S. Steward, *International Copyright and Neighbouring Rights* (Butterworth, 1983)

"The joint development of non-living resources in the exclusive economic zone", *Report of the International Law Association Committee on the Exclusive Economic Zone* (1988)

The Common Concern of Mankind (United Nations Environment Programme, 1989)

Clubs

Oriental Club, London

Casino Maltese

Ayensu, Kathleen Quartey (Ghana)

Employment history

Barrister and solicitor

P.O. Box CT 5935, Cantonments, Accra, Ghana October 2010-the present

- Reintegration and orientation regarding recent legal and socio-economic developments in Ghana with special emphasis on oil and gas sector and legal sector reforms
- Augment and submit selected reports on British Virgin Islands Attorney General activities to the Foreign and Commonwealth Office of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland

Attorney General

Principal Legal Adviser to the Government of the Virgin Islands Tortola, British Virgin Islands **June 2007-June 2010**

Constitutional duties

- Advised the Governor and the Foreign and Commonwealth Office of the United Kingdom on domestic legal matters through written opinions and meetings
- Member of the Cabinet — provided written legal advice and attended meetings
- Member of the House of Assembly — advised and guided the House during the passage of all Bills, vetted Acts for Assent by the Governor
- Member of the National Security Council — provided written legal advice and attended meetings
- Member of the Prerogative of Mercy Committee — reviewed petitions and provided legal advice to the Committee

Statutory and executive duties

- Head of the Attorney General's department — performed administrative and supervisory duties, viz., management of attorneys and administrative staff
- Provided legal opinions to Government departments, directed and superintended civil litigation, superintended legislative drafting agenda, ensured the compilation and annual publication of all legislation
- Collaborated with the management of other pillars of economy, viz., offshore financial services and the Shipping Registry
- Legal adviser to the Virgin Islands Shipping Registry
- Board Member of the Financial Investigation Agency and Chairperson of its Steering Committee
- British Virgin Islands prime contact and coordinator for the Caribbean Financial Action Task Force Evaluation

- Ministerial oversight for the Law Reform Commission
- Chair of the British Virgin Islands Human Rights Committee, pending establishment of the Human Rights Commission
- Deputy Chair of the Judicial Reform Steering Group
- Preparation of British Virgin Islands reports to the United Kingdom on United Nations legal compliance matters
- Titular Head of the Bar Association of the Territory of the British Virgin Islands — addressed the Bar Association at the commencement of the law year and special sittings and held meetings and discussions with the Bar Association Executive regarding legal practice

Special projects

- Ushered in the operational stage of the new Virgin Islands Constitution Order 2007 by providing legal opinions on interpretation, evaluating cases and legislation for compatibility with the new Constitution
- Led the British Virgin Islands to successful evaluation by the Caribbean Financial Action Task Force and received personal commendation from the Cabinet
- Involved in the implementation phase of the separation of the Attorney General's Office from the Office of the Director of Public Prosecutions
- Human Rights Committee — conducted and coordinated preliminary and consultative stages for the framework of the Human Rights Commission, prepared a draft bill and collaborated with the Commonwealth Foundation regarding capacity-building
- Accelerated consideration and passage of the backlog of draft legislation, including the Parole Act, the British Virgin Islands UNESCO Commission Act, the Customs Act, the Cadet Corps Act, the Labour Code and selected financial services legislation
- Identified and implemented major capacity enhancement opportunities for both legal and administrative staff
- Sourced funding and hosted both major Attorney General conferences (British Overseas Territories and the Organization of Eastern Caribbean States) and assisted with hosting a training seminar for regional judiciary on commercial court practice
- Drafted the legal framework for the establishment of the first commercial court of the Eastern Caribbean Supreme Court
- Established an expanded legislative drafting division in the department
- Participated in the negotiation of selected tax information exchange agreements
- Supported the Virgin Islands Shipping Registry by establishing the legal framework for operations such as the Category One Red Ensign Flag Register

- Collaborated with the Financial Investigation Agency team during investigation and prosecution of the landmark IPOC International Growth Fund money-laundering suit

Chief State Attorney

Ministry of Justice, Accra, Ghana **November 1999-April 2007**
Attorney General's Department
Civil, commercial and international law assignments:

- Advised Government ministries and agencies through meetings, written opinions and drafting of legal documents
- Prepared pleadings and represented the Government in civil litigation up to the Supreme Court
- Prepared submissions and represented the Government in international mediation and arbitration
- Collaborated with affiliated divisions and entities including the Prosecutions and Legislative Drafting Divisions, the Registrar General's Department, the Serious Fraud Office and the Ghana Police Service
- Reviewed and negotiated bilateral and international agreements
- Represented the Attorney General on multidisciplinary committees, including committees of inquiry, and prepared reports
- Reviewed and litigated decisions of the Commission on Human Rights and Administrative Justice in High Court

Special projects

- Member of the Government team for review and renegotiation of transnational agreements concerning the aluminium industry and the power sector, including coordination duties and report preparation (2001-2004); counsel during international mediation and arbitration over the same matter
- Special Adviser to the President and the Council of State on Ghana/ Kaiser/Valco industry agreements (2003-2004)
- Member of a special mission concerning the financing for the west African gas pipeline (2006)
- Member/Counsel of the first Public Procurement Board tasked with implementation of the new system nationally (2004-2006)
- Delegate to the sixty-first session of the United Nations Commission on Human Rights
- Member of the Government team on negotiation for new hotel projects
- Counsel for the Government team on a $220 million World Bank facility for a road sector programme
- Member of the Committee of Inquiry into procurement matters, Ghana School of Law

- International expropriation claim — conducted research, collated arguments and provided legal briefings to the Vice-President

Principal State Attorney

Ministry of Justice, Accra, Ghana **December 1998-October 1999**
Attorney General's Department

General duties

As for Chief State Attorney

Special projects

- Bilateral trade agreements, expropriation claims, negotiation of international agreements
- Conducted multidisciplinary negotiations between the Ministry of Agriculture and investors on providing a monitoring and surveillance system of fishing vessels in the exclusive economic zone, resulting in a signed agreement
- Member/Counsel for standing Ghana-Togo Border Demarcation Commission

Legal Consultant, Ghana and the United States of America **April 1997-November 1998**

Pursued private interests prior to relocation, including reorientation with the business and legal communities

Senior Project Associate

Arnold and Porter, Washington, D.C. **April 1996-February 1997**

(Leading general practice firm)

Reviewed corporate documents for responsiveness, privilege, confidentiality and trade secrets: compiled a log of privileged documents, served as a member of the project coordinating group, assisted with the training of junior attorneys and paralegals in the group and attended case management meetings

Special project

Largest product liability case in international history

Attorney

Essie F. Stevens and Associates **October 1993-March 1996**
Washington, D.C.

(Small general practice firm)

General legal practice covering immigration, personal inquiry, probate, family, employment and business development in Ghana

Attorney

Finnegan, Henderson, Farabow, Garrett and Dunner **November 1992-**
Washington, D.C. **September 1993**

(Largest intellectual property firm in Washington, D.C.)

Concluded review of corporate documents for privilege, compiled a log of privileged documents and coordinated a team of junior attorneys and support staff involved in this phase

Special project

Major international patent case — support in discovery stages

Attorney/Consultant

6116 Perry Street, Cheverly, Maryland, **October 1989-October 1992**
United States of America

(Self employed)

Practice included a three-year assignment for the law firm of Finnegan, Henderson, Farabow, Garrett and Dunner in Washington, D.C. to review corporate documents for privilege in leading international patent litigation

Law Clerk (while studying)

Steptoe and Johnson, Washington, D.C. **October 1986 to December 1988**

(Leading general practice firm)

Researched and analysed legal issues, prepared memorandums, reviewed legal documents for accuracy and sufficiency and attended attorney-client meetings; assignments spanned international trade, employment, real estate, diplomatic privileges and immunities, contracts and energy law

Special project

New Chancery building for the Republic of Ghana

Attorney

Ministry of Justice, Accra, Ghana **November 1976-May 1983**
Attorney General's Department

Civil, commercial and international law assignments:

Served progressively as National Servicewoman, Assistant State Attorney and State Attorney:

- **Advised Government ministries and agencies through written legal opinions, meetings and drafting of legal documents; assignments spanned torts, public agreements, employment, labour, trade and public international law**
- **Represented the Government in civil litigation and administrative proceedings before the superior courts and Ombudsman, respectively**

- Represented the Attorney General on national committees and attended several international conferences as a Government delegate or guest of the organizers
- Lectured to over 2,000 people in the United States, Europe and Africa on law and international affairs
- Wrote speeches and reports for the Attorney General
- Awarded Certificate of Distinction for national service

Special projects

- Delegate to Third United Nations Conference on Law of the Sea (assigned mostly to deep seabed mining and dispute settlement committees) (1977-1982)
- Member/Counsel on various Government committees of inquiry

Bar admissions

Territory of the Virgin Islands	(2007, 2010)
District of Columbia	(1988)
Ghana	(1976)
England and Wales	(1976)

Higher education

Master of Comparative Law (American practice)	George Washington University, United States of America (1987)
Degree of Utter Barrister (incl. public international law and private international law)	The Honourable Society of Gray's Inn, the Inns of Court School of Law, United Kingdom (1976)
Master of Laws (incl. international law of the sea and law of international institutions)	University of London (University College), United Kingdom (1974)
Bachelor of Laws (Honours) (incl. public international law)	University of Ghana, Ghana (1973)
Cours Intensif de Français (Summer school)	L'Université de Grenoble, France (1970)

Some lectures presented

International Economic Crime

- Symposium on International Economic Crime, Cambridge, United Kingdom — a main speaker (2007, 2008, 2009)

Public Procurement Act, 2003 (Act 663)

- A Facilitator for presenting new legislation to all levels of the judiciary and judicial service management, Ghana (2005)

Africa and the United Nations

- Lockhaven University of Pennsylvania, United States of America — keynote speaker (1989)
- The Woman's Club of Minneapolis, United States of America — keynote speaker (1988)
- A World Constitutional Convention, United States of America — Philadelphia Schools' Project — keynote speaker (1987)
- International Bicentennial Symposium on Strengthening the United Nations, United States of America — adjudged best speaker

The legal regime for deep seabed mining

- Howard University Law School class, United States of America (1985)

The law of the sea and the new international economic order

- Colloquium at the Third United Nations Conference on the Law of the Sea, Switzerland (1978) — reported in *Development Forum* (June 1978)
- Third United Nations Conference on the Law of the Sea and the issue of dispute settlement procedures for developing countries, Switzerland (1978) — Reported in Quaker United Nations office publications, spring 1978 issue

The law of employment

- Lectured to personnel managers at the Ghana Management and Productivity Institute (1977 and 1978)

Conference participation and continuing legal education/seminars

- Symposium on International Commercial Arbitration before the London Court of International Arbitration, Ghana (2010)
- Oil and Gas Contracts and Dispute Resolution, International Law Institute, United States of America (2010)
- British Overseas Territories Attorneys General Conferences (2008, 2009, 2010)
- Caribbean Regional Conference on Bank Insolvency Issues, Jamaica (2010)
- Organization of Eastern Caribbean States Attorneys General Meetings (2008, 2009)
- Commonwealth Law Ministers and Attorneys General meetings and conference, United Kingdom (2007, 2008)

- Attorneys General meetings with the Chief Justice of the Eastern Caribbean Supreme Court (2007-2009)
- Training on corporate directorship for the Procurement Board, Ghana (2006)
- Training regarding new public financial laws of the Republic of Ghana (2004)
- Techniques of arbitration, Ghana (2001)
- International business transactions, United States of America (1995)
- Immigration law, United States of America (1993)
- Trademark Law and Practice, United States of America (1993)
- Attorney — client privilege in the United States (1992)
- Patent law, United States (1990)
- Marine resources management in the exclusive economic zone, International Ocean Institute, Malta (1980)
- Ninth Pacem in Maribus Conference, rapporteur for the Marine Scientific Research Committee, Cameroon (1979)
- Legal aspects of investment in developing countries, Ghana (1977)
- Third United Nations Conference on Law of the Sea (1977-1983)
- Twenty-first session of the Asian-African Legal Consultative Committee, Indonesia (1980)

Student work experience

Law Clerk in a leading law firm, United States of America	1986-1988
Assistant Manager in a family dressmaking business, Ghana	1976-1983
Shop assistant in a department store, United Kingdom	1974
Intern to officials in the House of Parliament, Ghana	1971

Pre-university education

Aburi Girls' Secondary School, Ghana	1964-1970
Ghana International School, Ghana	1956-1964

Other skills

Languages

English	Excellent
French	Spoken — Good, Written — Fair
Ghanaian languages (Ga, Twi)	Spoken — Very Good

Leadership and organization skills

- Very successfully hosted the British Overseas Territories and the Organization of Eastern Caribbean States Attorneys General conferences in the Virgin Islands
- Coordinated and prepared the Virgin Islands Team for Caribbean Financial Action Task Force evaluation, earning personal commendation from the Cabinet and the Legislature
- Leader for selected multidisciplinary Government teams
- Member and legal adviser on the start-up of the Bamboo and Rattan Network of Ghana
- Coordination and training duties for projects in American law firms
- Debate team leader, University of Ghana
- Entertainment prefect in secondary school
- President, Debating Society of secondary school
- Secretary, United Nations Students' Association of secondary school
- Former patrol leader, Girl Guides' Association
- Former Sunday schoolteacher

Personal

Date of birth:	27 January 1953
Marital status:	Widow, one issue and other wards
Hobbies:	Horticulture activities, music and art appreciation, dressmaking, international cooking

Bula-Bula, Sayeman (Democratic Republic of the Congo)

[Original: French]

Professor at the University of Kinshasa, Democratic Republic of the Congo (1987 to present)

Former Judge ad hoc at the International Court of Justice (2000-2002)

Member of the Permanent Court of Arbitration (2001-2003)

Personal status

Place and date of birth: Ebonda, Congo, 31 August 1950

Matrimonial status: Married and father of two children

Profession: University Professor

Other professional activities: Expert-Consultant of various governmental, non-governmental and international organizations

Higher education

PhD in Law, University of Louvain, 1985

Licensed (Bachelor of Art in Law), University of Kinshasa, 1976

Undergraduate Diploma in Law, University of Kinshasa, 1973

Holder of many different certificates

Professional experience at the national level

Administrative experience

2002-2004

President of Anti-corruption Commission (2002-2004)

Academic experience

1995

Chief Administrative Officer, University of Kinshasa (1995-1996)

Member of the Managing Committee, Head ad interim of the Office of the Provost and, when necessary, of the Office of the Chancellor (October 1995 and March 1996)

1994-1995

Assistant Dean of the Faculty of Law, University of Kinshasa, in charge of organizing theoretical and practical teaching activities; member of the management staff of the faculty, Head ad interim of the Dean's Office (1994-1995)

1988-1994

Academic Secretary of the Faculty of Law, University of Kinshasa, in charge of implementation of course programmes (1988-1994)

Professor

Full Professor (1998 to present)

Professor (1992-1997)

Associate Professor (1988-1992)

Lecturer (1976-1980)

Consultancy

2009

Expert consultant with the Ministry of Hydrocarbons to define the external limit of the continental shelf

2008

Expert consultant with the Ministry of Foreign Affairs and International Cooperation

1998

Adviser to the Ministry of Energy for the drafting of the Agreement Protocol on scientific collaboration between the Democratic Republic of the Congo and the Universities of Miami and Syracuse of the United States of America, in the establishment of the Geoscience Project for Lakes Edward, Albert and Tanganyika (GEOLEAT) (1998-2001); component of the International Decade for East African Lakes (IDEAL) Programme, 1993-2003 (July-August 1998)

Legal consultant to the Ministry of Petroleum Industry Development, in charge of studying the delimitation of the maritime borders of the Democratic Republic of the Congo (July 1998)

1989

A registered expert of the World Bank for the third Water-Zaire project, World Bank credit (1989), for the drafting of a water code in Zaire (1989-1994)

Professional experience at the international level

International expert

2010

Visiting Professor of the International Tribunal for the Law of the Sea for a conference on recent developments in the law of the sea in the States of the Atlantic coast of Africa, Hamburg, Germany (2 September 2010)

Participant in the Berman seminar on colonialism and international law, passions, ambivalence and nationalism, University of Paris 1 Panthéon-Sorbonne (25 March 2010)

2003

Panel Member for arbitration of disputes related to natural resources and environment, Permanent Court of Arbitration

2001

Member of Permanent Court of Arbitration, The Hague (2001 to present)

Member of Special Arbitral Tribunal for the Sea Fisheries (2001 to present)

2000

Judge ad hoc at the International Court of Justice, Arrest Warrant Case (Democratic Republic of the Congo v. Belgium, 2000-2002) (April 2000)

1999

Member of Special Arbitral Tribunal for Protection and Preservation of the marine environment, appointed by the United Nations Environment Programme (UNEP) (20 January 1999)

1997

Coordinator of the "Promotion of the Rule of Law" programme of the Office of the United Nations High Commissioner for Human Rights (OHCHR) in the Republic of Haiti (1997-1998)

1996

Coordinator of the project "Human Rights and International Humanitarian Law", OHCHR, Military Academy of Bujumbura (1996)

Coordinator of the International Humanitarian Law Seminar for military officers organized by the United Nations High Commissioner for Human Rights (Geneva, 27 July-3 August 1996)

Coordinator of the International Humanitarian Law Seminar for the High Command of the Togo armed forces, organized by the United Nations High Commissioner for Human Rights, Lomé (20-27 October 1996)

Learned societies

2007

Member of the National Council of Science of the Democratic Republic of the Congo

2002

Member of the Editorial Advisory Board of the African Yearbook of International Law, The Hague (2002)

1993

Member of the African Society of International and Comparative Law, London (1993-2000)

Co-founder and member of the French-speaking environmental law network "*Réseau de droit de l'environnement*", Montreal (Canada) (1992 to present)

Membership in other associations

2003

Member of the Wilton Park International Association, London (2003 to present)

International diplomatic activities

January 2009

Member of delegation of the *Congolaise des hydrocarbures* (COHYDRO) company (Democratic Republic of the Congo) for delineating the outer limits of the continental shelf, Yaoundé (10-15 January 2009)

November 2008

Candidate of the Democratic Republic of the Congo for the election of judges of the International Court of Justice by the General Assembly and the Security Council

October 2008

Speaker for the delegation of the Democratic Republic of the Congo on the report of the President of the International Court of Justice to the General Assembly, New York (30 October 2008)

June 2008

Head of the delegation of the Democratic Republic of the Congo to the eighteenth meeting of States parties to the United Nations Convention on the Law of the Sea, New York (13-20 June 2008)

Member of the delegation of the Democratic Republic of the Congo to the African Union summit at Sharm el-Sheikh (Egypt) (25-30 June 2008)

March 2008

Participant in the United Nations conference on fishing in the high seas, New York (16-20 March 2008)

Delegate of the Democratic Republic of the Congo to the seventh series of informal consultations of the States parties to the Agreement for the Implementation of the Provisions of the United Nations Convention on the Law of the Sea of 10 December 1982 relating to the Conservation and Management of Straddling Fish Stocks and Highly Migratory Fish Stocks, New York (11-12 March 2008)

Meetings with ambassadors and permanent representatives to the Security Council Le Luong Minh (Viet Nam), Frances Mary Lisson (Australia), Johan Verbeeke (Belgium), Liu Zhenmin (China), Marcello Spatafora (Italy), Yukio Takasu (Japan), Jorge Urbina (Costa Rica), Maria Viotti (Brazil) and the deputy permanent

representative of France, Jean-Pierre Lacroix with a view to election to the post of Judge at the International Court of Justice, New York (14-17 March 2008)

June 2007

Expert invited to the African Union meeting on the project to establish the United States of Africa, Tripoli (20-21 June 2007)

June 1998

Delegate of the Democratic Republic of the Congo to the thirty-fourth summit of the African Union, which adopted the Protocol to the African Charter on Human and Peoples' Rights on the Establishment of an African Court on Human and Peoples' Rights, Ougadougou (2-10 June 1998)

March 1998

Principal coordinator of the joint seminar of the African Union, the International Committee of the Red Cross, the United Nations and the European Union on anarchic conflicts, organized for Permanent Representatives to the United Nations Security Council and the African Union, Addis Ababa (30-31 March 1998)

International scientific activities

March 2009

Panel member for a thesis on forest management from a sustainable development perspective, Faculty of Law of the University of Louvain-la-Neuve (Belgium) (27 March 2009)

February 2009

Guest of the University of Paris 1 Panthéon-Sorbonne on the occasion of the presentation of the work "*La France dans le monde: puissance ou influence*" (10 February 2009)

2008

Co-promoter of the joint research project of the University of Kinshasa and the Vrije Universiteit Brussel on research methodology in international law (January 2008)

2007

Participant in the symposium "Multiple parties, multiple problems", organized by the University of Texas and the University of California at the Permanent Court of Arbitration, The Hague (10-11 May 2007)

2006

Co-promoter, with Professor Stefaan Smis, of an inter-university cooperation project of the University of Kinshasa and the Flemish Inter-University Council for Development Cooperation for the preparation of the first publication of a collection of treaties signed by the Congo (1960-1980) and other issues of international law

Guest of honour, Seventh International Conference of Chief Justices of the World, Lucknow (India) (8-11 December 2006)

2005

Guest of honour, Sixth International Conference of Chief Justices of the World, Lucknow (India) (9-13 December 2005)

Guest at the 784th Wilton Park Conference on Promoting Good Governance and Development of Conflict-Affected Countries; the Role of Parliament and Government, Wiston House (June 2005)

2003

Participant at the Foreign and Commonwealth Office conference on countries in post-conflict situations (Wilton Park) (September 2003)

2001

Coordinator, Foreign Office conference on justice in Africa (Wilton Park) (August 2001)

2000

Keynote speaker at the conference "Perspectives de paix en Angola et en République démocratique du Congo", organized by the Southern Africa Committee, Brussels Centre of African Studies of the Université Libre de Bruxelles and the Vrije Universiteit Brussels (28 October 2000)

1999

Speaker at the Fourth World Symposium on the Thoughts of Muammar Al Qadhafi, "The Green Book", on the crisis of the international community at the threshold of the twenty-first century, Tripoli (29 November-3 December 1999)

Coordinator: regional workshop on capacity-building for marine sciences and sustainable management of coastal and marine resources, Angola, the Democratic Republic of the Congo and Côte d'Ivoire, Kinshasa (23-26 February 1999)

1998

Participant in the colloquium on the legitimacy of intervention by peaceful foreign media in areas of conflict, Hirondelle Foundation, Cartigny, Geneva (3-5 July 1998)

1997

Leading coordinator of the panel on legal structures for improving compliance with the rule of law in Africa, proceedings of the ninth annual Conference of the African Society of International and Comparative Law, Abidjan (Côte d'Ivoire) (August 1997)

1995

Participant at the seventh annual Conference of the African Society of International and Comparative Law on "Regional Integration: the Answer to Africa's Economic Problems?", Johannesburg (South Africa) (August 1995)

Participant at the assessment meeting on the environmental law project, Association of Partially or Wholly French-Language Universities — University of French-Language Networks (AUPELF-UREF), Louvain-la-Neuve (Belgium) (September 1995)

1994

Leading coordinator of a seminar-workshop on children and conflicts in Central Africa, Kinshasa (November 1994)

Speaker at the sixth annual conference of the African Society of International and Comparative Law on "The OAU and Africa in the year 2000: resolution and protection of displaced persons", Kampala (September 1994)

Participant at the assessment meeting on the environment law project, AUPELF-UREF, Louvain-la-Neuve (Belgium) (June 1994)

1993

Speaker at the fifth annual conference of the African Society of International and Comparative Law, on Africa, the Organization of African Unity and the new world order, Accra (September 1993)

Participant at the assessment meeting on the environmental law project, AUPELF-UREF, Louvain-la-Neuve (Belgium) (1993)

1992

Coordinator of the fifth African regional seminar on international humanitarian law, organized by the International Committee of the Red Cross (ICRC), Yaoundé (November 1992)

Participant at the second AUPELF-UREF seminar on the creation of a French-speaking network on environmental law, Montreal (Canada) (August-September 1992)

1991

Ambassador and member of a group of 10 eminent Congolese nationals responsible for coordinating the ICRC world campaign for the protection of war victims, Kinshasa (November 1991)

1989

Coordinator: second regional seminar for Central Africa, organized by ICRC, Kinshasa (April 1989)

1988

Coordinator: first regional seminar for Central Africa on international humanitarian law, organized by ICRC, Kinshasa (March 1988)

1983

Participant at the European Conference on "The New Law of the Sea and the Environment in a European context", organized by the European Commission, Brussels (January 1983)

Publications and scientific works

Law of the sea and the environment

1999

"*L'odyssée du droit de la mer dans les abysses*", *Liber Amicorum Mohammed Bedjaoui* (The Hague, Kluwer Law International, 1999), pp. 63-147

1996

"*Les institutions de gestion des forêts au Zaïre*", colloquium of the environmental law network, Limoges (France) (November 1994), in *Droit, Forêt et développement durable* (Brussels, Bruylant, 1996), pp. 293-306

"*L'infortune du Comité de pêche du golfe de Guinée*", "*L'intégration régionale est-elle une solution aux problèmes économiques de l'Afrique?*", proceedings of the eighth annual conference of the African Society of International and Comparative Law (Cairo, 1996), pp. 253-260

1992

***Le nouveau droit de la mer dans le contexte économique du Zaïre* (Brussels, Bruylant, 1992)**

1990

"*L'Europe du 1992 et ses implications sur la cooperation euro-africaine en matière maritime*", communication at the international seminar on Europe of 1992 and Africa, Kinshasa, University of Kinshasa (5-8 November 1990)

1989

"*Les Etats sans littoral et le droit de la mer*", panel discussion, University of Bangui (26 January 1989)

1988

"*Le nouveau droit de la mer au regard de l'Afrique*", panel discussion at the University of Kinshasa (17 May 1988)

"*Les normes de la qualité des eaux en droit comparé*", communication at the first national symposium on water quality norms, National Action Committee on Water and Sanitation, Kinshasa (9-14 May 1988)

International law on peace, international security and human rights

2010

Droit international humanitaire (Louvain-la-Neuve, Belgium, Academia-Bruylant, 2010)

2009

"*Les élections à la Cour internationale de Justice du 6 novembre 2008: la théorie et la pratique*", *Revue de droit africain*, No. 49 (2009)

2007

"*Le project des Etats-Unis d'Afrique: utopie ou réalité?*", conference of experts, Tripoli (20-21 June 2007)

2006

Liber Amicorum Marcel Lihau (scientific director) (Kinshasa, University of Kinshasa Press, Brussels, Bruylant, 2006)

Senegalese jurisdiction v. Belgian universal jurisdiction, Judgement of 25 November 2005 of the Court of Appeals of Dakar concerning the lack of jurisdiction in the extradition of Mr. Hissène Habré, *Liber Amicorum Marcel Lihau* (Kinshasa, University of Kinshasa Press, Brussels, Bruylant, 2006), pp. 319-334

Esquisse sur "Le concept d'État de droit", *Liber Amicorum Marcel Lihau* (Kinshasa, University of Kinshasa Press, Brussels, Bruylant, 2006), pp. 335-376

2005

L'arrêt du 25 novembre 2005 de la Cour d'appel de Dakar relative à l'exception d'incompetence dans l'extradition de M. Hissène Habré, *Revue de droit africain*, No. 36 (October 2005), pp. 301-316

Mise hors-la-loi ou mise en quarantaine des gouvernements anticonstitutionnels par l'Union Africaine, *African Yearbook of International Law*, vol. 11 (2003), pp. 23-78

2004

Les immunités pénales et l'inviolabilité du ministre des affaires étrangères en droit international: principe-caractère-portée-exceptions-limites-sanctions, L'Affaire relative au mandat d'arrêt du 11 avril 2000, *République démocratique du Congo c. Royaume de Belgique*, Cour international de Justice, arrêt du 14 février 2002 (Kinshasa, Kinshasa University Press, 2004)

L'accord de Pretoria du 31 juillet 2002 et le protocole de Luanda du 6 août 2002 relatifs au règlement du conflit armé contre la République démocratique du Congo, *Annales de la faculté de droit*, vol. XI-XXVII (2004), pp. 53-68

2002

Separate opinion joined to the judgement of 14 February 2002 concerning the arrest warrant case of 11 April 2000 (Democratic Republic of the Congo v. Belgium), ICJ Reports 2002, pp. 100-136

2000

Dissenting opinion joined to the order of 8 December 2000 concerning the arrest warrant case of 11 April 2000 (Democratic Republic of the Congo v. Belgium), ICJ Reports 2000, pp. 218-228

***La seconde* "Onusation" *de la République démocratique du Congo* "*Perspectives de paix en Angola et en Républicque démocratique du Congo*", proceedings of the conference of 28 October 2000, organized by the Southern Africa Committee, Brussels Centre of African Studies, Université libre de Bruxelles and the Vrije Universiteit Brussels (unpublished) (2000)**

"*Universalisme et regionalisme en droits de l'hommes et des peuples*", Proceedings of the Fourth Kimwenza Philosophical Seminar, Faculty of Philosophy, Saint-Pierre Canisius (Kinshasa, Loyola Edition 2000), pp. 73-82

1999

***La contribution de l'Accord de Syrte du 18 avril 1999 au règlement des différends dans la region des Grands Lacs*, proceedings of the Fourth World Symposium on the Thoughts of Muammar Al Qadhafi, "The Green Book", on the crisis of the international community at the threshold of the twenty-first century, Tripoli (29 November-3 December 1999)**

International humanitarian law, class given at the seminar for the fiftieth anniversary of the Universal Declaration of Human Rights, organized by the Faculty of Law, University of Kinshasa, and the Office of the United Nations High Commissioner for Human Rights in the Democratic Republic of the Congo (Kinshasa, University of Kinshasa Press, 1999), pp. 131-173

***L'Accord de Syrte du 18 avril 1999 pour le règlement des différends dans la region des Grands Lacs*, review essay, *African Journal of International and Comparative Law*, vol. 11, No. 3 (October 1999), pp. 418-436**

"*La Cour pénale internationale envisagée dans ses rapports avec le Conseil de sécurité des Nations Unies, L'Afrique et les enjeux de la mondialisation*", proceedings of the International Society of International and Comparative Law (1999), pp. 231-333

"*L'ambigüité de l'humanité en droit international*", inaugural lecture for the beginning of the academic year 1998/1999 of the public universities of the Congo, Academy of Fine Arts, Kinshasa (1999)

1998

"*Ébauche de la notion de conflit anarchique, mise en oeuvre du droit interantional humanitaire dans le contexte des conflits dits anarchiques*", proceedings of the fifth joint seminar of the Organization of African Unity and the International Committee of the Red Cross, for Ambassadors to the United Nations and members of the United Nations Security Council and the Council of Europe, Addis Ababa (30-31 March 1998) *Vision Africa* (1998), pp. 55-64

"The uncertain role of civil society in the resolution of an anarchic conflict" (ibid., pp. 103-109)

Le conflit anarchique en question, Revue de droit africain, No. 7 (Brussels, July 1998), pp. 232-242

"Le rôle incertain de la societé civile dans le règlement des conflits internes: L'état du droit en Afrique à l'orée de l'an 2000. Quelles perspectives?", proceedings of the First African Legal Seminar of Brussels, Katholiek Universiteit Brussel, Brussels (25-26 September 1998)

1997

"La doctrine d'ingérence humanitaire revisitée", African Journal of International and Comparative Law, vol. 9, No. 3 (September 1997), pp. 600-638

"Remarques liminaires sur l'acte constitutionnel, Haiti: la constitution de 1987 et les droits de l'homme", proceedings of the international colloquium (International Civilian Mission in Haiti/United Nations Development Programme) of 28 and 29 April 1997, Port-au-Prince (1998), pp. 29-32

1995

"Le parapluie humanitaire de l'enfant", revue interdisciplinaire des droits de l'homme, vol. I, No. 1 (1995), pp. 5-23

1994

"Faut-il instituer un mécanisme juridictionnel africain de règlement des différends?", African Society of International and Comparative Law Proceedings (1994), pp. 21-55

"L'idée d'ingérence à la lumière du nouvel ordre mondial", *African Journal of International and Comparative Law*, vol. 6, No. 1 (1994), pp. 111-144

1993

"L'ordre juridique à l'épreuve des réalités", *African Journal of International and Comparative Law*, vol. 5, No. 1 (1993)

Principal courses in the Democratic Republic of the Congo and other countries

2010

Course on developments in the law of the sea on the Atlantic African coast, for the International Law of the Sea Tribunal, Hamburg (Germany) (September 2010)

1987-2010

Course in international humanitarian law, Faculty of Law, University of Kinshasa, Democratic Republic of the Congo

Course on the law of the sea, Faculty of Law, University of Kinshasa, Democratic Republic of the Congo

2000

Course in public international law, Vrije Universiteit Brussel (October 2000)

1990-1993

Course on human rights, Catholic Faculties of Kinshasa

1988-1990

Course on the law of the sea, Faculty of Law and Economic Sciences, University of Bangui, Central African Republic

Honours

2007

Acknowledgement of the active participation and valuable contribution made at the Eighth International Conference of the Chief Justices of the World, Lucknow (India) (7-12 December 2007)

2005

Acknowledgement of the active participation and valuable contribution made at the Sixth International Conference of the Chief Justices of the World, Lucknow (India) (9-13 December 2005)

Honorary diploma for "Pacifist Trainer", issued by the Congolese Network for Protection and Promotion of Human Rights and Academic Liberties

1999

Certificate for the Best Africanist, issued by the Club of Africanists, University of Kinshasa

Cot, Jean-Pierre (France)

[Original: French]

Date of birth: 23 October 1937

Marital status: Married, four children

Education

Secondary school, Paris and Geneva

University education, Paris (Faculty of Law, Faculty of Arts)

Doctor (law), Faculty of Law, Paris (1965)

Agrégé (recipient of a higher education teaching certificate), Faculties of Law (1966)

Academic experience

Professor, then Dean of the Faculty of Law, Amiens (1966-1969)

Professor, University of Paris 1 Panthéon-Sorbonne (1969-1998)

Professor emeritus since 1 January 1999; associate researcher, Centre for International Law, Free University of Brussels

Government and international organization posts

Deputy for Savoie (1973-1981)

Minister-delegate for Cooperation and Development (1981-1982)

Chairman of the First Conference on the Least Developed Countries (Paris, 1981)

Member of the Executive Council, UNESCO (1983-1984)

Member of the European Parliament (1978-1979 and 1984-1999); Chairman of the Budget Committee (1984-1989); Chairman of the Socialist Group (1989-1994); Vice-President of Parliament (1997-1999)

Legal experience

Member of the Bar, Paris and Brussels (1998-2001)

Counsel and advocate before the International Court of Justice for territorial disputes between Burkina Faso and Mali, Chad and the Libyan Arab Jamahiriya, Namibia and Botswana, Cameroon and Nigeria, and Malaysia and Indonesia; counsel and advocate before an arbitral tribunal in a dispute between France and UNESCO

Member of an arbitral tribunal of the International Chamber of Commerce; President of a European Development Fund arbitral tribunal; judge ad hoc, International Court of Justice (Maritime Delimitation in the Black Sea (Romania v. Ukraine))

Judge, International Tribunal for the Law of the Sea (2002-)

President, French Society for International Law (2004-)

Publications

Member of the editorial committee, Encyclopedia of Public International Law, Oxford

Author of numerous works and articles on international law, constitutional law and political science, in particular *La conciliation internationale*, Paris, Pedone (1968) and, with Alain Pellet, *La Charte des Nations Unies, Commentaire par article*, Paris, Economica, 3rd edition, vols. I and II

Honours

Knight of the Legion of Honour (France)

Numerous foreign decorations

Languages

French (fluent) and English (fluent)

Gao, Zhiguo (China)

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Personal details

Name: Gao Zhiguo

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22609 Hamburg
Germany

Home address: 2-2-503 Residence Building of People's Bank
Qixiancun, Haidian Qu, Beijing 100044
China

Education (University and postgraduate, China and abroad)

Postgraduate

Postdoctoral/research fellow in law, East-West Centre, United States of America (August 1994-August 1995)

J.S.D. (Doctor in the Science of Law), Dalhousie University, Canada (September 1989-August 1993)

LL.M., University of Washington, United States of America (May 1985-December 1986)

LL.M., China University of Political Science and Law (September 1980-July 1983)

Undergraduate

Jilin University (December 1976-January 1980)

Work experience (China and abroad)

Employment

Judge at the International Tribunal for the Law of the Sea (March 2008 to present)

Director, researcher/professor/doctoral supervisor, China Institute for Marine Development Strategies (March 1999 to present)

Deputy to the 10th National People's Congress: Member of the Foreign Affairs Committee of the 10th National People's Congress (March 2003-March 2008)

Deputy Director, researcher/professor, China Institute for Marine Development Strategies (October 1997-February 1999)

Senior lecturer, doctoral/master's degree supervisor (permanent appointment), University of Dundee (September 1994-December 1997)

Postdoctoral research fellow, School of International Political and Economic Studies, East-West Centre, Hawaii University, United States of America (September 1993-August 1994)

Deputy Head, Legal Office, State Oceanic Administration (January 1989-September 1989)

Deputy Administrator, China Institute for Marine Development Strategies (December 1986-December 1988)

Senior staff member, Policy Research Office, State Oceanic Administration (July 1983-August 1986)

Lecturer, Shanxi University of Coal Science and Technology (January 1980-September 1980)

Legal work

Obtained Chinese national lawyer's qualification, 2001

Associate, Burchell MacDougall & Gruchy, Truro, Canada (June 1991-July 1993)

Legal trainee, Forster Pepper & Shefelman, Seattle, United States of America (September 1985-December 1986)

Part-time service in China and abroad

Professor and Honorary Director, Research Centre for the Law of the Sea, Tsinghua University (December 2009 to present)

Doctoral supervisor, Hainan University (2008 to present)

Doctoral supervisor, Xiamen University (2004 to present)

Doctoral supervisor, Research Centre for Eco-Environmental Sciences, Chinese Academy of Sciences (2003 to present)

Doctoral supervisor, Ocean University of China (2000 to present)

Visiting Professor, Washington College of Law, American University (1998)

Honorary lecturer, doctoral/master's degree supervisor, University of Dundee, United Kingdom (January 1998 to present)

Council member, Chinese People's Institute of Foreign Affairs (2007 to present)

Deputy President, China Society for the Law of the Sea

Council member, Chinese Society of International Law

Member of Editorial Board, *Ocean Development and International Law* (Canada)

Member of Editorial Board, *Ocean Yearbook* (United States of America)

Member of Editorial Board, *Journal of Energy and Natural Resources Law* (United Kingdom)

Member of Editorial Board, *Oil and Gas Law and Taxation Review* (United Kingdom)

Member of Editorial Board, "International Energy and Resources Law and Policy Series", published by Kluwer Law International, Netherlands and United Kingdom

Experience in foreign affairs and legal work (examples of recent activities)

ASEAN Regional Forum expert/eminent person (recommended by the Chinese Ministry of Foreign Affairs) (January 2001 to present)

Member of the Chinese government delegation to the first Sino-Vietnamese negotiation on the boundary delimitation in the Gulf of Tonkin, Hanoi, Viet Nam (January 2006)

Member of the Chinese government delegation (senior expert) to the consultations between China and the Philippines on joint development, Manila, Philippines (4-7 March 2007)

Resource person at the workshops on managing potential conflicts in the South China Sea, Indonesia (1999-2001)

Member of the Chinese delegation to the workshops on managing potential conflicts in the South China Sea, Indonesia (1997-1998)

Member of the panel of experts of the Chinese government delegation to the Sino-Vietnamese consultation on the boundary delimitation in the Gulf of Tonkin, Hanoi, Viet Nam (2000)

Member of the panel of experts of the Chinese delegation to the World Summit on Sustainable Development, Johannesburg, South Africa (26 August to 4 September 2000)

Member of the Chinese delegation to intersessional meetings of the Asia-Pacific Economic Cooperation (APEC) (1999-2002)

Member of the China committee of the Council for Security Cooperation in the Asia Pacific (CSCAP), frequent member of the Chinese delegation at meetings of the Working Group on Maritime Cooperation (1999 to present)

Legal adviser to the International Seabed Authority, United Nations, under contract No. ISA/00/P0000, 2002, "Comparative study of national regulations on mining and mining contracts". Principal duties: to prepare for the Authority an analysis and comparative study of national legislation and contracts in the area of mining and to provide the Authority with expert opinions and legal advice (December 2002-March 2003)

Legal adviser to the International Seabed Authority, United Nations, under contract No. ISA/00/P0004, 2001, "Drafting and formulation of mining regulations". Principal duties: collection, analysis and compilation of national legislation, drafting of articles and provision to the Authority of legal advisory services (2001)

Legal consultant to the United Nations: one of the principal drafters of the *Handbook on the Delimitation of Maritime Boundaries*, United Nations Division for Ocean Affairs and the Law of the Sea (1999-2000)

Consultant to the European Community on natural resources law: 1998 project on the energy policy and framework of the European Community and China; contributing author to components on the oil industry policy, law and environment

Consultant to the Asian Development Bank on energy and environmental law: responsible for legal and environmental components of the 1996 Asian Development Bank review of the hydrocarbon sector policy of Viet Nam, under project contract No. TA2392-VIE

Legal adviser to the Government of Brazil and the Brazilian State petroleum corporation Petrobras on petroleum policy, responsible for providing legal advice on Brazil's petroleum policy and contracts (September-December 1997)

Consultant on energy law: engaged by the Oxford College of Petroleum and Energy Studies with funding from the Technology Know-How Fund of the United Kingdom, to provide expert advice on energy law to the Ministry of Oil and Gas of Kazakhstan (1995-1997)

Legal adviser: under the United Kingdom's international project on technical assistance (Tacis project EUK 001), providing legal advice to the Supreme Council of Ukraine on investments in the electricity sector (May 1996-August 1997)

Legal adviser: providing legal advice to the Ministry of Petroleum of Angola on the drafting of a law on environmental protection in petroleum prospecting and development (December 1995-June 1996)

Other legal consultancies: legal advisory services and consultancies in more than 20 countries, including Canada, China, Colombia, Indonesia, Malaysia, Nigeria, Peru, Romania, Thailand, the United Kingdom and the United States of America, in the areas of resource development, environmental protection and multinational investment (1994 to present)

Publications (over 200 publications; some representative examples given below)

Books and articles

Studies in the International Law of the Sea, ed. (Beijing: China Ocean Press, 2010), 200 p.

China National Ocean Development Report 2008, 2009 and *2010*, ed. (Beijing: China Ocean Press, 2008-2010), 680 p.

Collection of International Maritime Boundary Delimitation Agreements and Treaties (vol. 2), ed. (Beijing: Law Publishing House, forthcoming)

Handbook on the Delimitation of Maritime Boundaries (Beijing: China Ocean Press, 2009), 98 p.

Compilation of National Maritime Policy, ed. (Beijing: China Ocean Press, 2007), 1082 p.

Studies of New Trends in the International Law of the Sea, ed. (Beijing: China Ocean Press, 2007), 234 p.

Theory and Practice of International Law of the Sea, ed. (Beijing: China Ocean Press, 2006), 291 p.

Recent Developments in International Law of the Sea, ed. (Beijing: China Ocean Press, 2005), 245 p.

Essays on International Law of the Sea, co-author (Beijing: China Ocean Press, 2005), 294 p.

Comparative Study of National Mining Legislation and Contracts (Beijing: China Institute for Marine Development Strategies, 2004), 114 p. (in English)

Environmental Regulation of Oil and Gas, ed. (London: Kluwer Law International Ltd., 1998), 615 p. (in English)

International Petroleum Contracts: Current Trends and New Directions (London: Graham & Trotman, 1994), 260 p. (in English)

Marine Policy in the Asia-Pacific Region (Beijing: China Ocean Press, 1990), 290 p.

Commentary on the United Nations Convention on the Law of the Sea (Beijing: China Ocean Press, 1985), 85 p.

International Environmental Law, 3rd ed. (University of Dundee, United Kingdom, 1996), 600 p.

Environmental Law and Policy on Natural Resources and Energy, 3rd ed. (University of Dundee, United Kingdom, 1996), 580 p.

Practice of International Petroleum Law, 2nd ed. (American University, United States of America, 1998), 850 p.

Dissertations

"International offshore oil contracts: energy demand and sustainable development", doctoral dissertation for Dalhousie University, Canada, 1993, 600 p.

"Legal aspects of boundary delimitation in the East China Sea", master's degree dissertation for University of Washington, United States of America, 1997, 200 p.

"Consideration of certain aspects of the international legal regime of the seabed", master's degree dissertation for the China University of Political Science and Law, 1983, 350 p.

Articles

"Relevant issues of China's Arctic policy", Beijing: China Institute for Marine Development Strategies, February 2010, 25 p.

"China's marine environmental protection and legislation", Hague Academy of International Law, 35th session of the external programme, Beijing, October 2009 (in English)

"South China Sea: Turning suspicion into mutual understanding and cooperation", in Saw Swee Hock et al., ed., *ASEAN China Relations: Realities and Prospects*, Singapore: Institute of Southeast Asian Studies, 2005, pp. 329-343 (in English)

"Key issues in the East China Sea: a status report and recommended approaches", in S. S. Harrison, ed., *Seabed Petroleum in Northeast Asia: Conflict or Cooperation?*, Washington, D.C., Woodrow Wilson International Centre for Scholars, 2005, pp. 32-39 (in English)

"Regime of the high seas and military activities at sea during times of peace and war", *Chinese Journal of Military Law*, vol. 76, September 2005, pp. 53-55

"Regimes on the exclusive economic zone, continental shelf and straits used for international navigation", *Chinese Journal of Military Law*, vol. 75, July 2005, pp. 51-54

"East Asian seas strategy", *China Ship Survey*, No. 35, April 2003, pp. 22-25

"Public participation in mining and petroleum in Asia and the Pacific: the OK Tedi case and its implications", *Human Rights in Natural Resource Development: Public Participation in the Sustainable Development of Mining and Energy Resources* (London: Oxford University Press, 2002) (in English)

"Naval strategy and the law of the sea", *Chinese Navy Journal*, 2001, issue 6, pp. 11-14

"Scope and principles of maritime cooperation in Asia and the Pacific", *Ocean Yearbook*, vol. 16, 2001, pp. 100-114 (in English)

"Legal concept and aspects of joint development in international law", *Ocean Yearbook*, vol. 13, 1998, pp. 107-124 (in English)

"Current issues of international law on offshore abandonment: with special reference to the United Kingdom", *Ocean Development and International Law*, vol. 28, issue 1, 1997, pp. 59-78 (in English)

"World petroleum exploration contracts in Brazil: an overview of recent developments and current changes", *Oil and Gas Law and Taxation Review*, vol. 15, No. 3, 1997, pp. 79-87 (in English)

"China's petroleum legal regime for foreign participation in upstream operations: the foreign company's view", *Journal of Energy and Natural Resources Law*, vol. 14, 1995, pp. 161-178

"Recent trends and new directions in international petroleum exploration and exploitation agreements", *World Competition*, vol. 17, 1994, pp. 109-138 (in English)

"International petroleum exploration and exploitation agreements: a comprehensive environmental appraisal", *Journal of Energy and Natural Resources Law*, vol. 12, 1994, pp. 240-256 (in English)

"South China Sea: from conflict to cooperation?", *Ocean Development and International Law*, vol. 25, 1994, pp. 345-359 (in English)

"China and the LOS convention", *Marine Policy*, vol. 15, issue 3, 1991, pp. 199-208 (in English)

Major awards and achievements

China

"Study of the proposed maritime boundary delimitation of the Yellow Sea and the East China Sea", awarded second prize in the category of marine science and technology (ranked in first place), 2005

Awarded the State Council's special endowment for experts, 2001

Nominated for the national outstanding achievement award for 100 top scholars returning from study abroad, 2003

Head of the "215" national expert team (on the proposed maritime boundary delimitation of the Yellow Sea and the East China Sea), 2000-2007

Abroad

Engaged by the United Nations International Seabed Authority as an expert on deep-sea mining legislation, 2001

Engaged by the United Nations Division for Ocean Affairs and the Law of the Sea as a legal expert on maritime boundary demarcation, 2000

Awarded the Geoffrey Willoughby Prize of the International Bar Association for outstanding achievements in research into the law of resource development and environmental protection (one prize awarded annually, the only Asian recipient of the prize), 1997

Listed by *Euromoney* among the world's leading energy and natural resource lawyers, 1997

Awarded the Izaak Walton Killam Memorial Scholarship, Canada, 1989-1993

Languages

English (working knowledge)

French (basic reading ability)

Kelly, Elsa (Argentina)

[Original: Spanish]

Born in Buenos Aires on 28 February 1939

Graduate and postgraduate studies

- Lawyer, University of Buenos Aires, Faculty of Law and Social Sciences (1960)
- Doctoral studies (1966-1967)
- Received scholarship from Harvard University, fellow at the Center for International Affairs (academic year 1977-1978)

Academic background

- Assistant to Professor Dr. Ambrosio Gioja, Chair of Jurisprudence at the Faculty of Law and Social Sciences, University of Buenos Aires (1962-1966)
- Promoted to post of Assistant Professor of Philosophy and History of Philosophical Ideas, University of Buenos Aires (1978/1973)
- Assistant Professor of Introduction to Law, University of Buenos Aires (1973)
- Professor of International Law, University of Buenos Aires (1984)

Diplomatic career

- Joined the Argentine Foreign Service in 1962 as diplomatic attaché. Was promoted through each of the ranks of the diplomatic service until reaching the level of ambassador in 1984
- Counsellor, Argentine Embassy in Santiago, Chile (1973-1976)
- Spent most of career working for the Office of the Legal Adviser. Appointed Legal Adviser of the Argentine Ministry of Foreign Affairs and Worship (1980-1981)
- Served as deputy head of Delegation for the third United Nations Conference on the Law of the Sea (1970-1982)
- Appointed Vice-Minister for Foreign Affairs by then President Raúl Alfonsín (1983)
- Ambassador to UNESCO (1985)
- Elected Vice-Chairman of the Executive Board by the General Conference of UNESCO, Sofia, Bulgaria (1985)
- Director of Department of Cultural Relations of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs (1989)
- Member of the Argentine Superior Council of Ambassadors (1991)

– Director-General, Office of Environmental Affairs, Ministry of Foreign Affairs, International Trade and Worship (1997-1999)

– Head of delegation for climate change and biosafety negotiations

– Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of Argentina to Italy, San Marino, Albania and Malta (2000-2003)

– Permanent Representative of Argentina to FAO (2000-2003)

– Ambassador of Argentina to Austria, Slovakia, Slovenia, Bosnia and Herzegovina and Croatia (2003-2006)

– Permanent Representative to international organizations in Vienna; Governor on the Board of Governors of the International Atomic Energy Agency

– Representative to the Wassenaar Arrangement; Chairperson, Plenary of Participating States of the Wassenaar Arrangement (2004)

– Director of International Safety and Nuclear and Space Affairs (2006-present)

Other activities

– Member of the House of Representatives of the National Congress (1992-1995) (Took a leave of absence from the Ministry of Foreign Affairs during this period)

– Member of the Convention to the first Constitution of the city of Buenos Aires (1996)

Activities in non-governmental institutions

– Member of the Argentine Council for International Relations (CARI)

– Member of the Argentine foundation "Nuevos Derechos Del Hombre"

Publications

Articles and essays on legal, political and international issues (for CARI and other academic institutions)

Honours

Decorations from Mexico, Ecuador and France (Palmes Académiques)

Kulyk, Markiyan Z. (Ukraine)

Brief career resume

2008-present	**Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of Ukraine to Romania**
2006-2008	**Deputy Director, Foreign Policy Directorate of the Secretariat of the President of Ukraine**
2004-2006	**Director, Department of the United Nations and other international organizations, Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Ukraine**
2001-2004	**Deputy Permanent Representative of Ukraine to the United Nations, Alternate Representative of Ukraine on the United Nation Security Council (2001)**
1998-2001	**Deputy Director, Treaty and Legal Department of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Ukraine, Deputy Director-General of the Directorate**
1997-1998	**Adviser to the President of the United Nations General Assembly**
1994-1997	**Third, second and first secretary of the Permanent Mission of Ukraine to the United Nations (New York), Legal Adviser of the Mission**
1993-1994	**Assistant to the Deputy Foreign Minister of Ukraine and to the Head of the National Committee on Disarmament**
1991-1992	**Third secretary of the Treaty and Legal Department of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Ukraine**

International activities

Expert from Ukraine at the Council of Europe Committee of Experts on Terrorism (2006)

Chairman of the United Nations Committee for Programme and Coordination at the forty-fifth session of the General Assembly (2005)

Vice-President of the twelfth Meeting of States Parties to the United Nations Convention on the Law of the Sea (2002)

Chairman of the 2002 session of the Special Committee on the Charter of the United Nations and on the Strengthening of the Role of the Organization

Head of the delegation of Ukraine to the first session of the Ad Hoc Committee on the Scope of Legal Protection under the Convention on the Safety of United Nations and Associated Personnel (2002)

Vice-chairman of the 1998 session of the Special Committee on the Charter of the United Nations and on the Strengthening of the Role of the Organization

Rapporteur of the thirty-fourth session of the Commission on Social Development (1995)

From 1992 to 2007 served as representative, member, adviser or expert of official delegations of the Ukraine at the sessions of the United Nations General Assembly, the Economic and Social Council, the International Seabed Authority, the meetings

of the Working Group on Jurisdictional Immunities of States and their Property, the Preparatory Committee on the Establishment of an International Criminal Court, the United Nations Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1373 (2001) concerning counter-terrorism, the Committee of Legal Advisers on Public International Law (Council of Europe), the Organization for Security and Cooperation in Europe (OSCE) Working Group on the draft convention on the international legal personality, legal capacity and privileges and immunities of OSCE

Membership in academic societies and editorial boards

Ukrainian Association of International Law (since 1999)

Ukrainian Association of the Law of the Sea (since 2008)

Education

Moscow Institute for International Relations, International Law Department, specialization in international civil and custom law, commercial and banking law, arbitration (1987-1992)

Ph.D. (2008), dissertation on "Ways of optimizing international law on maritime delimitation"

Publications on the law of the sea

"Determination of criteria for equitable legal regulation of the continental shelf delimitation", *Pravo Ukraine*, No. 7 (2001), pp. 106-109

"Effect of islands on determination of the legal basis for maritime delimitation", *Scientific bulletin of the National Academy of Internal Affairs* (quarterly), No. 3 (2001), pp. 308-313

"On establishment of a non-contradictional model of maritime delimitation", *Pravo Ukraine*, No. 9 (2001), pp. 89-92

"Ways to intensify solutions to the problems of Ukraine's maritime delimitation in the north-western part of the Black Sea" *Trybuna*, No. 3-4 (2004), pp. 24-27

"Joint exploitation of oil and gas resources of the continental shelf: possible ways of intensifying cooperation between Ukraine and Romania" *Trybuna*, No. 5-6 (2006), pp. 23-25, and *Collection of scientific essays on State and law*, issue 35, Institute of State and Law of V. M. Koretskyi of the National Academy of Sciences of Ukraine (2007) (updated edition)

"Retrospective analysis of some leading cases of the International Court of Justice on issues of maritime delimitation", thesis at the Ukrainian-Germany legal seminar, held in Odessa, Ukraine, on 9 and 10 October 2006, *Collection of scientific essays of the International Humanitarian University*, issue 4 (2006), pp. 48-52

"Issues of the international legal regime to combat piracy in contemporary circumstances", *Yearbook of scientific essays on the Legal State*, Institute of State and Law of V. M. Koretskyi of the National Academy of Sciences of Ukraine, issue 21 (2010), pp. 453-462

Languages

Ukrainian, English, Russian, Polish

Born

27 July 1970, Ukraine

Lokossa, Francis (Benin)

[Original: French]

Personal information

Date and place of birth: 1 January 1961 in Sohon (Grand-Popo)

Marital status: Married, with five children

Current administrative status

Current grade level: Diplomat, Minister Plenipotentiary for Foreign Affairs (AJ-12)

Return from the Embassy of Benin in Paris: 22 March 2000

Studies and qualifications

Higher education

National University of Benin:

National School of Administration, majoring in diplomacy and international relations (1980-1982 and 1984-1986):

Undergraduate studies (1980-1982): undergraduate diploma

Graduate studies (1984-1986): graduate diploma

Faculty of Law, Economics and Political Science: law degree (1983)

Faculty of Literature, Arts and Social Sciences: first year (1984)

Training courses and seminars

Advanced training course in diplomacy at the Institute of International Relations of Cameroon (September 1989-June 1990): Course certificate (June 1990)

Training seminar for African diplomats (Bonn-Berlin) on key aspects of development cooperation and negotiation techniques at the German Foundation for International Development: Certificate of completion (July 1990)

Seminar on legal aspects of armed conflict organized by the Department of Defence of the United States of America and the Strategic Studies Institute, Cotonou (Benin) (July 2001): Certificate of completion

Seminar on legal aspects of radiation protection and sources of ionizing radiation at the International Atomic Energy Agency, Vienna (May 2002): Certificate of completion

Seventh specialized course on World Trade Organization dispute settlement rules and procedures, Geneva (1-5 December 2003): Certificate of training

Expertise

Drafting, signing, ratification, entry into force, enforcement, interpretation and law of treaties

Law, delimitation and demarcation of boundaries

Nuclear law

International Court of Justice procedure and proceedings

International Criminal Court procedure

Law of international organizations (African Union, International Atomic Energy Agency, International Court of Justice, International Criminal Court and United Nations Office on Drugs and Crime) and the establishment of international organizations (including African Union, African Court of Justice and Co-Prosperity Alliance Zone)

Law of non-governmental organizations and headquarters agreements

Legislative drafting (drafting of laws and regulations)

Expert on counter-terrorism conventions

Professional profile

Career

Entry on duty: 17 February 1983

Directorate for Africa and Arab Countries

Financial and Administrative Affairs Department (1983-1984, 1986-1989)

Office of the Minister (1990-1993)

First Counsellor for Economic and Trade Affairs at the Embassy of Benin in Paris (1993-2000) and in that capacity:

Meetings on the promotion of finance and trade for Benin at the Chambre de commerce et d'industrie de Paris (Paris Chamber of Commerce and Industry) in cooperation with the Maison de l'Afrique (Africa House), the Conseil des investisseurs français en Afrique noire (Council of French Investors in Black Africa) and the Conseil national du patronat français (National Council of French Employers) (1994, 1995, 1996 and 1997)

Missions to Lyon, Bordeaux and Rouen (France) and to Rome, Turin and Varesse (Italy) to promote finance and trade for Benin

Seminar on the Multilateral Investment Guarantee Agency, World Bank, Paris

Seminar on the texts and mechanisms of the Organization for the Harmonization of Business Law in Africa, Chambre de commerce et d'industrie de Paris (Paris Chamber of Commerce and Industry)

Seminar on economic governance in Africa organized jointly by the African Development Bank and the Organization for Economic Cooperation and Development

Participation in negotiations with the Paris Club on the restructuring of Benin's debt:

– Multilateral negotiations (October 1996 and September 1998)

– Bilateral negotiations (October-November 1996) with Argentina, Denmark, France, Italy and Norway

– Bilateral negotiations with the Russian Federation (March 1997)

Advance person for the presidential delegation to the first World Food Summit, Rome (November 1996)

Deputy Director for Legal Affairs and Human Rights (July 2000-March 2004)

Exemplary staff member of the Department of Legal Affairs and Human Rights (2002)

Director for Legal Affairs and Human Rights (10 March 2004-present) (Decree No. 2004-197 of 13 April 2004), and in that capacity:

– Chair of the inter-ministerial committee in charge of considering the conclusion of headquarters treaties

– Secretary of the committee on publication of bilateral and multilateral agreements signed and/or ratified by Benin since 1960 (Inter-ministerial Decree No. 004/MAEIA/MFE/-DC/SGM/DADJDH/ST of 28 April 2005)

– Special Counsel for Benin before the International Court of Justice in the Benin/Niger boundary dispute

International conferences

Signing conference for the United Nations Convention against Transnational Crime, Palermo (Italy) (10-14 December 2000)

United Nations Congress on Crime Prevention and Criminal Justice, tenth and eleventh congresses, Vienna (2001 and 2002)

Seminars on the promotion, ratification and implementation of the United Nations Convention against Transnational Organized Crime and the counter-terrorism conventions, Ouagadougou (November 2001); Cairo (August 2003); and Bamako (25-28 November 2003)

Third session of the Assembly of States Parties to the Rome Statute of the International Criminal Court, The Hague (6-10 September 2004)

China-Africa colloquium on sovereignty and human rights as part of the Forum on China-Africa Cooperation, Beijing, Chongqing and Yangzhou (China) (18-26 October 2004)

Seminar of the Economic Community of West African States and the International Committee of the Red Cross on the implementation of international humanitarian law treaties, Abuja (6-7 July 2005)

Fourth session of the Assembly of States Parties to the Rome Statute of the International Criminal Court, The Hague (28 November-3 December 2005)

Resumed fourth session of the Assembly of States Parties to the Rome Statute of the International Criminal Court, New York (United States) (24-26 January 2006)

Fifth session of the Assembly of States Parties to the Rome Statute of the International Criminal Court, The Hague (24 November-1 December 2006)

Fourth Conference of Ministers of Justice of the French-speaking African Countries on the implementation of the universal counter-terrorism instruments, Ouagadougou (20-22 March 2007)

Conference of Foreign Ministers of Non-Aligned Countries on cultural diversity, Tehran (20-23 September 2007)

Rapporteur for the negotiations between Benin and France on the agreement on joint management of migration flows and co-development, Paris (September 2007) and Cotonou (Benin) (26-28 November 2007)

Rapporteur for the negotiations between Benin and Switzerland on the agreement on the entry, stay and return of persons, Neuchâtel (Switzerland) (17-18 October 2007)

Head of the delegation of Benin to the second session of the Assembly of States Parties to the United Nations Convention against Corruption, Bali (Indonesia) (23 January-2 February 2008)

Chair of the organizing committee of the Subregional Conference on the International Criminal Court, held in commemoration of the tenth anniversary of the Rome Statute; and presentation on *"L'expérience béninoise en matière d'internalisation du Statut de Rome"* ("Benin's experience in incorporating the Rome Statute into domestic law"), Cotonou (Benin) (17-18 July 2008)

Sixty-fourth session of the United Nations General Assembly, Legal Committee and meetings of Directors for Legal Affairs, New York (United States) (12-27 October 2009)

Eighth session of the Assembly of States Parties to the Rome Statute of the International Criminal Court, The Hague (18-26 November 2009)

Finalization of negotiations between Benin and Switzerland on the agreement on the entry, stay and return of persons, Neuchâtel (Switzerland) (8-22 January 2010)

Normative activities of the African Union

Negotiation of the Protocol on the Rights of Women in Africa, Addis Ababa (2001 and 2003)

Negotiation of the Protocol of the Court of Justice of the African Union, Mauritius (July 2003)

First session of the Assembly of Heads of State and Government of the African Union, Durban (South Africa) (July 2002)

Negotiation of the amended Constitutive Act of the African Union, Addis Ababa (February 2003)

Normative activities for the establishment of the Co-Prosperity Alliance Zone

Drafting, negotiation and conclusion of the memorandum of understanding between Benin, Nigeria and Togo and between Benin, Ghana, Nigeria and Togo on the Co-Prosperity Alliance Zone, Abuja (7 February 2007) and Cotonou (Benin) (13 February 2007)

Drafting and negotiation of the protocol to the memorandum of understanding between Benin, Nigeria and Togo and between Benin, Ghana, Nigeria and Togo on the Co-Prosperity Alliance Zone setting out the regulations of the technical support unit, Cotonou, Abuja and Accra (November 2007, February 2008 and May 2008)

Special activities relating to the boundary dispute between Benin and Niger before the International Court of Justice

Special counsel for Benin in the Benin/Niger boundary dispute before the International Court of Justice, The Hague

Coordinator of the technical support committee in charge of the Benin/Niger boundary dispute brief and, in that capacity, participation in the following stages of proceedings:

Signing of the referral agreement, Cotonou (Benin) (15 June 2001)

Exchange of instruments of ratification of the agreement, Niamey (10-15 April 2002)

Research mission, Niamey (11-15 April 2003)

Meeting of the joint legal and financial committee on contributions to the Secretary-General's Trust Fund, Niamey (5-8 November 2002)

Meeting of the joint legal and financial committee on contributions to the Secretary-General's Trust Fund, Cotonou (Benin) (17-21 December 2002)

Submission and exchange of counter-memorials; meeting with the President of the Court, The Hague (28 May 2004)

First helicopter mission over the Niger and Mekrou Rivers (September 2004)

Submission and exchange of replies, The Hague (17 December 2004)

Second observation mission over the Niger and Mekrou Rivers (February 2005)

Arguments before the Court, The Hague (11 May 2005)

Meetings with the Lysias law firm to draft written pleadings, Paris and Cotonou (Benin) (2002-2005)

Reading of the judgment, The Hague (12 July 2005)

Campaign to raise awareness among the public, the media, Government institutions, political parties, the army, the police, the gendarmerie and border communities (August-September 2005)

Detailed reading of the judgment with the lawyers and members of the political steering committee expanded to include the members of the technical support committee, Cotonou (Benin) (16-17 February 2006)

First meeting on demarcation of the experts of the National Boundary Delimitation Commission, Niamey (9-10 February 2006)

Second meeting on demarcation of the experts of the National Boundary Delimitation Commission, Parakou (Benin) (31 March-1 April 2006)

"Dialogue with the Court" colloquium on the jurisdiction and procedure of the International Court of Justice, organized to commemorate the sixtieth anniversary of the Court's establishment, The Hague (10-11 April 2006)

Chairman of the open-ended working group on triple points

Participation in the third meeting of experts of the Benin-Niger Joint Mixed Commission for the delimitation of the border (August 2008)

Special activities relating to the boundary dispute between Benin and Burkina Faso before the International Court of Justice

Negotiation and signing of the agreement to refer the boundary dispute between Benin and Burkina Faso to the International Court of Justice, Cotonou (Benin) (7-8 September 2009)

Research missions to Paris, The Hague and Aix-en-Provence and interviews with legal advisers to be retained by Benin for the boundary dispute case (June 2010)

Research missions to Paris and Geneva and interviews with legal advisers to be retained by Benin for the boundary dispute case (17-23 December 2010)

Languages

Spanish, English and Latin

Award

Awarded as an ordinary civilian the title of Chevalier of the Order of Merit of Benin (see Decree No. 2008-496 of 29 August 2008)

Publications

"La coopération du Bénin avec les pays de l'Amérique latine", graduate thesis at the National School of Administration (November 1986)

"Le Fonds monétaire international et la souveraineté des pays africains", paper for advanced training course at the Institute of International Relations of Cameroon (June 1990)

"Les Accords de commerce", paper delivered at the Conference on Diplomatic Support for the Private Sector (August 2006)

"L'internalisation du Statut de Rome de la Cour pénale internationale dans le droit interne du Bénin", paper delivered at the Subregional Conference on the International Criminal Court held in commemoration of the tenth anniversary of the Rome Statute, Cotonou (Benin) (17-18 July 2008)

"La délimitation et la démarcation des frontières maritimes du Bénin: quels enjeux pour le développement du pays", presentation at the first National Forum on Benin's international boundaries (18-21 January 2011)

Other activities

Member of the Société française de droit international

Professor of law and diplomatic practice at the National School of Administration and the Judiciary of Benin

Professor of international development at the Pigier School in Cotonou, Benin

Lucky, Anthony Amos (Trinidad and Tobago)

Date of birth: 11 May 1940

Marital status: Married

Religion: Roman Catholic

Education

1958-1961	Council of Legal Education, London, United Kingdom, Gray's Inn
1961	Post Final Practical Training Certificate
1972-1973	University of the West Indies, Institute of International Relations, Diploma in International Relations
1974-1975	University of the West Indies, Faculty of Social Sciences, Master's Degree, International Relations
	Commonwealth Secretariat, Certificate in Legislative Drafting

Professional experience

1961-1963	Private practice, Chambers of W. H. Agrimude (civil), F.K.R Misir (criminal), W. Hercules (civil and criminal)
1963-1964	Attorney General's Department (now Ministry of Legal Affairs), Legal Cadet
1964-1974	Magistracy of Trinidad and Tobago
	As Magistrate, presided as Petty Civil Court Judge; Coroner
	Chairman, Licensing Committee, Princes Town and Moruga
	Appointed Chairman of Civil Service Disciplinary Committees on four occasions
1974-1976	Acting Secretary, Law Reform Commission, Law Commission, Port of Spain
1976-1977	In-House Counsel, Royal Bank of Trinidad and Tobago Limited
1977-1987	Corporate Secretary and In-House Counsel, Royal Bank of Trinidad and Tobago Limited and subsidiary companies
1979-1987	Legal Adviser, Royal Bank Trust Company, General Finance Corporation, Associated Companies of Royal Bank
1984-1987	Secretary and Legal Adviser, Caribbean Banking Corporation, Saint Vincent and the Grenadines
	Secretary and Legal Adviser, R & M Holdings, St. Vincent and the Grenadines
1987	Admitted to practice in Saint Vincent and the Grenadines on 30 January 1987 as a barrister and solicitor
1987	Appointed a judge of the Supreme Court of Trinidad and Tobago

2001	Appointed a justice of appeal in the Court of Appeal of Trinidad and Tobago
1991-2003	Judicial contact visits to meet judges and distinguished jurists were made to the United Kingdom, India, Singapore, Australia, Canada, Hong Kong, Bangkok, Kuala Lumpur and a number of Caribbean Common Law jurisdictions, including Saint Vincent and the Grenadines, Barbados and Jamaica. Such contacts were also made at several international conferences
2003-present	Judge, International Tribunal for the Law of the Sea
2010-present	Ombudsman of the Caribbean Accreditation Council for Engineering and Technology

Teaching experience

Institute of International Relations: guest lecturer, Law of the Sea

University of the West Indies, part-time lecturer in law, Extramural Department (1963-1966)

Hugh Wooding Law School, Associate Tutor — law of associations (1985-1986)

Hugh Wooding Law School, Associate Tutor — legal drafting and interpretation (1986-2000)

Seminar and workshop papers

"Admissibility of computer printouts in evidence and examination of the Evidence Act in Commonwealth Caribbean countries", Law Conference, Kingston, Jamaica, October 1985

"Legal rights of fishing in the serpent's mouth", *Trinidad Guardian*

"Admissibility of computer records into evidence in criminal trials", meeting hosted by the Law Commission of Ontario, Ontario, Canada, March 1985

"Receivership and liquidations", Seminar, Ideas, Inc., October 1986

"The legal duties and responsibilities of the company director", Central Bank Examiners of the Caribbean Basin, Central Bank, Port of Spain, November 1986

Participation in discussion panels in various forums, including national seminars, television programmes and as a guest lecturer on various aspects of international law, including the law of the sea, in particular on issues relating to maritime delimitation and the environment

Social community activities

Member, Archbishop's Council of the Laity during its existence prior to the National Council

Member, Parish Council, St. Benedict's Parish, La Romain, Trinidad and Tobago; lay minister, La Romain Parish

Member, Board of Management, Presentation College, San Fernando and Chaguanas, Trinidad and Tobago (1976-2002)

Chairman, Academy of Tertiary Studies (2008-present)

President, Presentation College Past Students' Association (1988-1991 and 1995-1996)

Trinidad and Tobago Life Guard (bronze medallion)

Former Chairman, Kidney Foundation of Trinidad and Tobago

Scouting, Queen's Scout, Scout Association of Trinidad and Tobago, 1955

President, Scout Association of Trinidad and Tobago (2004-present)

Member, Queen's Park Cricket Club

Member, Trinidad and Tobago Cricket Council

Chairman, Disciplinary Tribunal, Trinidad and Tobago Cricket Board (1995-2004)

Member, Disciplinary Committee of the West Indies Cricket Board (1995-1996, 1996-1998 and 1998-2004)

Member, Petrotrin, Pointe-a-Pierre Club

Interviewer and guest speaker at several service clubs and organizations and youth groups

Sporting activities

Athletics, cricket, football, tennis, swimming

Hobbies

Reading, travelling, music

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Education

1979	Annual internship certificate, United Nations
1980	Diploma from the Institute of Advanced International Studies, University of Paris (first in year)
1980	Postgraduate diploma in public law, specializing in public international law, University of Paris (*cum laude*, first in year)
1981	Postgraduate diploma in political studies, specializing in international relations, University of Paris
1981	Diploma from The Hague Academy Centre for Studies and Research in International Law and International Relations, The Hague Academy of International Law
1984	Doctor of law, University of Paris (*magna cum laude*, 1984)

Work experience

1981	Assistant Lecturer, University of Paris X
1981	Assistant, Collège de France, Professor René Jean Dupuy Chair of International Law
1984	Lecturer, University of Dakar
1985	Director of the Research Centre of the Faculty of Law of the University of Dakar
1985	Legal Adviser and Co-Representative of the Government of Senegal in the matter of the demarcation of the maritime border between Senegal and Guinea-Bissau
1986-1989	Arbitration Tribunal, Geneva
1989-1991	International Court of Justice, The Hague
1986	Adviser to the Government of Senegal on Senegambia
1989	United Nations consultant (undertook several missions for the United Nations)
1989	Legal Adviser to the Government of Senegal in the negotiations concerning Senegal's commercial debt, London Club
1991	Rapporteur, Commission on the Reform of the Senegalese Electoral Code
1992	Expert, Coalition for Africa, Washington, D.C.

1992 Jurisconsult

Visiting Professor at many universities

Publications

Author of books and numerous articles and papers in the fields of international law, international organizations and the law of integration

Books

Matières premieres et droit international (Dakar, Nouvelles Editions Africaines, 1992)

Elements pour une théorie de l'institution à la lumière de l'expérience Sénégalaise, collaboration with the current Chairman of the Organization of African Unity (Dakar, Nouvelles Éditions Africaines, 1988)

Pour un développement endogène en Afrique (collaborative effort), series of books for the Council for the Development of Economic and Social Research in Africa (Paris, Éditions Karthala, 1992)

Articles

"L'accord international sur le droit international", *Revue de droit africain* (1982), pp. 11 et seq

"Les 'Falklouines' et le droit international", *Annales africaines* (1985), pp. 121-150

"Le jus cogens", *Annales africaines* (1986), pp. 95-117

"Le fonds commun dans le cadre du programme intégré pour les produits de base", *Revue tunisienne de droit* (1982), pp. 215-334

"Des transitions démocratiques en Afrique", *Alternative démocratique dans le tiers monde*, No. 6 (Dakar, July-December 1992), pp. 13-29

"Intégration africaine évolution institutionnelle", *Espoir* (Dakar, 1991), p. 3 et seq

"Disarmament and Security in Africa", Topical Paper No. 12 (United Nations, New York, 1992), pp. 97-120

"La juridiction constitutionnelle introuvable: à propos de la nature du Conseil constitutionnel français", *Revue tunisienne de droit* (1995)

"*Provisional measures before the International Tribunal for the Law of the Sea*", presentation by Judge T. M. Ndiaye to the seminar of the Centre of Oceans Law and Policy of the University of Virginia (16 March 2001)

"Provisional measures before the International Tribunal for the Law of the Sea", in *Current Marine Environmental Issues and the International Tribunal for the Law of the Sea*, Myron H. Nordquist and John Norton Moore (eds) (2001)

"La recevabilité devant les juridictions internationales", in *Law of the Sea, Environmental Law and Settlement of Disputes: Liber Amicorum Judge Thomas A. Mensah*, T. M. Ndiaye and R. Wolfrum (eds) (2007)

"Proceedings on the merits before the International Tribunal for the Law of the Sea", *Indian Journal of International Law*, vol. 48, No. 2 (avril-juin 2008)

"La responsabilité des États pour dommages à l'environnement marin", in *International Law: New Actors, New Concepts, Some Problems, Liber Amicorum Boizidar Bakotić*, B. Vukas and T. Šošić, eds. (2008)

Distinctions

Knight of the Order of the Lion, Sénégal (1995)

Commander of the Order of Merit, Sénégal (1998)